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 LR 11

SENATOR SMITH: Mr. President, I would move the advancement of LB (sic--LR) 11CA to E & R for engrossing.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: The question before us is the advancement of LR 11CA. All those in favor say aye. Opposed nay. The ayes have it. The bill is advanced...or the resolution is advanced. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, (LB) 234. Senator Smith, I do have Enrollment and Review amendments.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Smith.

SENATOR SMITH: Mr. President, I would move the adoption of the E & R amendments to LB 234.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Question before us is the adoption of the E & R amendments to LB 234. Those in favor vote...say aye. Opposed nay. The amendments are adopted.

CLERK: Senator Beutler would move to amend. (See AM0709 on page 877 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Beutler, you're recognized to open on Amendment 709.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Lieutenant Governor Maurstad, members of the Legislature, this is an amendment that Senator Suttle is kind enough to allow me to put on. It is an amendment that relates to her bill which has to do with essentially allowing folks in the election commissioner's office or county clerk's office, depending on who your election commissioner is, to make electronic records be or to constitute the permanent registration register. And so what that brought to mind for me was an experience that we had in the Appropriations Committee just a week or so ago where one of the state agencies, their data bank was knocked out by an electronic surge and the way they had arranged things, not only did it knock out their data bank but it knocked out their backup documents and they had no other separate filed backup documents. And so the result of all that was that they had to go back and reconstruct the data bank